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Docket No. END5209USANP

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Cust. No. 000027777 Conf No. 16383795  
Applicants : Rudolph Nobis, et al.  
Serial No. : 10/673,928 Art Unit: 3739  
Filed : September 29, 2003 Examiner: Gibson, Roy Dean  
For : ENDOSCOPIC MUCOSAL RESECTION DEVICE WITH OVERTUBE  
AND METHOD OF USE

I certify this correspondence is transmitted by facsimile to the USPTO on December 28, 2005:

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NONFINAL REJECTION OF JULY 28, 2005**

Dear Sir:

**TWO MONTH EXTENSION**

The Commissioner is petitioned for a two month extension of time. Please charge the fee of \$450 to Deposit Account 10-0750/END5209/GSG.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the information disclosure statement transmitted with this response.

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